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In re Application of: Udo Draeger et al.

PROCESS AND INSTALLATION FOR THE MANUFACTURING OF A COATING FOR AN IMPRESSION CYLINDER

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

The following is a response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 10, 2006, wherein the Examiner restricted prosecution for the present application for invention to one of the two groups: Group I - Claims 1-10, drawn to a process of making a coating for an impression cylinder, classified in class 264, subclass 279 and Group II – 11-15, drawn to an apparatus for making a coating for an impression cylinder, classified in class 425, subclass 127. Applicant elects to prosecute the claims of Group II (Claims 11-15) without traverse.

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